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Town Council.

A meeting of the Town Council was held at the usual place and at the usual time on August 30th. The Councilors present were:—Bratton, Swennumson, Roffe, Hurd, Oliver and Blaine. The Mayor being absent the chair was taken by Councillor Bratton.

The following accounts were submitted:

A. Garrison work on park	... \$2.25
A. Anderson, repairing vault	36.75
Mrs. Cherry, old carpet	1.60
J. H. Martin, drying pipe	10.20
J. H. Martin, work on streets	22.40
J. H. Martin, pumping water	10.00
A. Garrison, work on gas mains	38.00
L. Ewing, work on gas mains	48.00
Dominion Express Co.	38.25
Buteman and Bratton, expenses to Edmonton	77.25

The accounts were ordered paid if found correct.

A report was received from C. H. Bell, J.P., covering period to the end of August. He also enclosed his resignation as a J.P.

A letter received from T. B. Compton relative to drilling water wells was referred to the Fire, Water & Light Committee.

The Council next discussed the matter of the establishing of an isolation hospital. Eventually a committee of Councillors Hurd and Oliver was appointed to confer with the School Trustees re the purchase of the old school building together with the outbuildings and land.

With reference to a nuisance ground the Public Works reported that a very suitable nuisance ground could be obtained on Mr. Potter's farm; either by lease or purchase. This site was about two and a half miles out and the price asked for it was \$400.

The committee was requested to take the matter up further with Mr. Potter, especially with reference to the roadway.

A finance bill was then put through three readings and finally passed.

Councillor Blaine reported that complaints had been made to him that stock was being driven in from outside of the town limits and put into the town pound.

The Council, however, did not consider it a matter requiring any action on their part and the meeting adjourned.

Assault at Grassy Lake.

John Slaby, previously a farmer of Grassy Lake and now a member of His Majesty's forces, was charged on Saturday, August 1st, before Police Magistrate Brown with occasionally bodily harm to John H. Flynn on August 19th.

The prosecution was represented by Mr. McArthur, of Conibeara, Church & McArthur, barristers, of Lethbridge, while the defence was ably put forward by Francis O. McKenna, barrister, of Bow Island. About six witnesses were examined for the prosecution and four for the defence. Some idea of the amount of evidence taken may be gathered from the fact that the case lasted about four hours and there were about 50 pages of shorthand.

Mr. McKenna's address in behalf of the defence was a masterly one, strong and to the point, and created a very favorable impression.

After summing up the evidence, the police magistrate gave judgment against the plaintiff and dismissed the complaint, there being no evidence to substantiate a charge of such a serious nature as that introduced.

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—
Dominion Geologist to Work in Lethbridge and Bow Island Field
—

(Lethbridge Herald.)

D. B. Dowling, Dominion geologist, is in the city today on his way to the Bow Island gas field to test out the gas there with a view to learning the possibility of extracting gasoline or other highly volatile oils therefrom. Mr. Dowling is greatly interested in this work, and has already covered the provinces from the Peace River country south this far.

At the Dingman and other wells in Okotoks field tests were made with the gas showing that a fairly high percentage of gasoline can be extracted but the exact results of the test are not yet known.

This Gas Too Dry.

In the Bow Island field, however, it is not expected that gasoline will be available from the gas which is much more dry. However, Mr. Dowling rather expects to be able to secure a methane product which will probably increase the strength of kerosene so that it will be equal to a distillate ranging in value as a power fuel sometime between gasoline and kerosene.

See Artesian Wells.

While in Bow Island Mr. Dowling will investigate the artesian wells which have been drilled south of Grassy Lake this summer. He is greatly interested in the success of the artesian wells in the southeast country and believes that this discovery means \$15 per acre on the value of the land within the basin.

Oil in Peace River.

Speaking of the Peace River field he states that there is crude oil there, and that wells may be put down which will pump about 25 barrels a day of crude oil. The wells are slightly under 1,000 feet in depth. Going beyond that mark releases salt water which rises and flows over the top of the pipe.

While in the south Mr. Dowling will also investigate the new well the Natural Gas Co. is putting down at Barnwell in the hope of striking an auxiliary gas flow.

D. B. Dowling, government geologist, and Jas. Stott, of Vancouver, have taken possession of the rear of the rest room in town this week, where they are conducting experimental tests with our natural gas.

Pupils' Recital.

The pupils of Miss Wright, music teacher, gave a piano recital on Monday evening, September 2nd, in St. Michael's hall, before a fairly good attendance of people. The different numbers of the program were well executed, and some of the pupils showed excellent promise of becoming first-class musicians. It was evident Miss Wright has already achieved considerable success in her methods.

The program was as follows:—"At the fountain," Mrs. Clem Hoaglin; "Love's young dream" (Morrison); Margaret Calder; First Waltz, "March of the little sages," Thelma Reid; "All is rosy" (Lindsay); Sadie James; Dame humoristique, Glen Dulmage; "Shells" of ocean," Adele Stewart; "On Patrol" (March), Beale Calder; "Fond memories" (melody), Irene Ridgeland; Dorothy Read; "Sing, Robin, Sing," Durward Rofte; "The Whirlwind," Cyril Russell; "Rosita" (Hans Shick); Constance Dulmage; "God Save the King."



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N.G., Secretary.

**BOW ISLAND U.F.A.
No. 83**

President, F. J. Henderson.

Vice-president, H. A. Cook.

Secretary, G. S. Moulton.

Meetings are held in the Rest Room, Main Street, Bow Island, at eight o'clock sharp.

Next meeting is on Saturday, September 21st. Subject for discussion: "The purchase of cats."

Don't fail to come!

FARM LANDS FOR SALE

I have secured the agency for this district for Hudson Bay Farm Lands, and will be glad to submit prices of several eligible pieces of property.

I have also a list of other farm properties.

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For sale, or will trade for land in that district. Address: R. E. King, Bow Island.

Horses for Sale.

Four head of horses for sale, two mares and two geldings. Teams weigh 2000 lbs. each. Two geldings weigh about 1650 lbs., with colt four months old, for sale, or will exchange for land of similar quality.

For sale, or will trade for land in that district. Address: R. E. King, Bow Island.

Strayed.

One Brown Horse, both ears split, white front and white hind foot. Branded M on right shoulder. In harness, saddle, bridle, etc. Information Mrs. Alberta, Bow Island P.O. Location one mile west of Whitney ranch, near the river.

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One Buddeker Huggy, nearly new, and one set of harness. A maf for sale.—Harvey Davis, Box 516, Winsniford, Alberta.

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Winnifred.**Burdett.**

Mr. Fred Beckhold and family are leaving Winnifred and moving to Brooks on a ranch he has just purchased there.

Mr. Joe Fisher received a telegram saying that his father was now expected to live, having left at once for Smyrna Mills, Maine.

Mrs. Kate Parker, mother of R. A. Parker, is here the guest of Mrs. Will McLean and Alfred Larsen.

The Wimminif branch of the Red Cross Society will hold their annual business meeting on Thursday afternoon, September 19th, in the L.O.O.F. hall, 102 Main Street, Bow Island, at which time the annual meeting of the coming year will take place. It is particularly requested that as many of the men attend as is possible.

Miss Dorothy Denison has returned to Medicine Hat to attend school after spending two months on the ranch.

Mr. Howard Felt's mother left for her home in New Brunswick after spending the summer months here.

Mr. L. C. Freeman has started threshing and is doing some excellent work. He reports crops fair considering.

Miss N. E. French and her mother expect to move into Mr. Tunstall's house for the coming year.

Mr. Jas. Larsen expects to visit Great Falls, Mont., with his sister.

Mrs. H. A. Ryg returned on Monday from the Medicine Hat hospital.

Last Thursday an auto travelling from Burdett to Bow Island collided with a cow and killed the driver. The cow was being driven home by Mr. Lyons' little girl, and apparently the occupants of the car paid not the slightest heed to the fact that they were approaching. They to the present came forward and endeavoured to make amends for their carelessness. It hoped, however, that inquiries will be made to the memory of the parties concerned an opportunity given them to compensate the owner for the cow's loss.

Indications would lead one to believe that a considerable amount of liquor is entering this district. A case is being brought against one of our residents in the vicinity, imbibing the stuff that is being dispensed by the local bootlegger and having afterwards given his name as a responsible trustee in preventing various mischiefs on his part. Should this illicit drinking continue public opinion will demand that the provincial police do their duty and institute a vigorous investigation with a view to seeing whether this state of affairs cannot be remedied.

Rev. W. D. Dunn. This was executed by Queen Dunn. This was excellent.

Song, dialogue, "Give the boy a chance," by Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Larsen and Roy McLean. Unusually good.

Recitation, Donald Freeman. In this Donald was very clever and easy in his manner.

Song, Myrtle Freeman and Ursula.

Recitation, John Angle. Recitation, Velva Pederson. The play will fulfill its purpose and deserve all kinds of praise.

Recitation, Miss Wright. Drama, "Advertising for a husband," given by Velva Pederson, Mrs. Alfred Larsen, Mrs. I. C. Freeman and Roy McLean. Unusually good.

Recitation, Ursula. Song, "The song his mother sang," by Angie.

Piano solo, Dorothy Danilson. Song, "Dancing and June." Recitation, John Angle.

Piano solo, Miss Wright. Song, "On his road to Home, Sweet Home"; John and Ava Angle. Recitation, "My gal in overall," by Mrs. Paul Hutchings. This was the hit of the evening.

Song, Myrtle Freeman and Ursula.

Recitation, John Angle. Recitation, Mildred Smith.

Many showed very careful training and was really excellent throughout.

Mr. and Mrs. Angle are deserving of the greatest praise.

We understand Rev. Hutchinson entertained at dinner on Tuesday, September 10th?

Full particulars have not been obtained, but we hear he is an excellent speaker. But — we're from Missouri, and you can't fool us.

Mr. Art Gaughan has been quite ill for a few days, but at present writing is considerably better.

We understand that an irrigation system is being contemplated in connection with the artesian well recently completed in the north ward.

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CREATION OF THE EASTERN FRONT WEAKENS THE HUNS IN THE WEST

FIRST MOTIVE OF MURMAN EXPEDITION IS NAVAL
The Germans Are Set On An Eastern Political Solution Of Their
Troubles and This Fact Strengthens The Argument For
Reconstituting the Eastern Front

Most people are agreed that the final decisive battles of the war will be fought in the west. There are, however, some who believe that the Germans or you may have lost Germany, but the Austrasian Province east of the Volga is strongly Bolshevik; while the Czecho-Slovaks and Russian nationalists get into communication with each other. The German strength will be reduced by the loss of men made by the dangers we make for him in the east. The fact that the Germans set an eastern political solution of their troubles strengthens the argument for reconstituting the eastern front.

Those who would solve all the difficulties by piling men in the west put their savings into stocks. Others, while admitting that the final solution will come to the west, believe that the time has come when the numbers of men we shall have to send in these declared eastern battles will be so great that they would put them at interest; that is, the great majority of us believe that the recognition of the east is that the employment of a man power gathers itself to an increment of man power at compound interest.

Thus, to Bulgaria and the Caucasus, thence to Egypt, and from Egypt to India, and from India to touch with Russian forces in Caucasus, Armenia and northern Persia. The front has been shifted from the Russian who has been shattered and the Italian forced back. On the Balkans and Mesopotamia has been advanced, but the eastern wing from the Caucasus set back. With the military collapse of Russia, and all who read General Maude's despatches to the British Government, the importance he attached to Russian support on his right. We might (had he not been managed) have prevented breakdown of what we may call the early successes of the German offensive. It might (if it had not been for the Turkish centre in Palestine and added Damascus and Aleppo by brigades and Jerusalem). We might (if Russia had held) have advanced our own front to the Black Sea, and beyond, and we might (if the Indian resources had not been fully organized) have held the country between Bagdad and the Persian Gulf. We have given up the restoration of the Armenians and Georgians into a solid front.

Such was the old eastern front. In reconstituting it, we start with the new which includes Russia and a centre in Palestine and Mesopotamia. Our new right, still in progress, is the Murman coast at Archangel, and stretches out to southern Russia. Our new left, still in progress, is Siberia. The object of this article is to put together the facts in regard to the Murman coast, as far as they have been made public and draw certain military conclusions on the subject of our new eastern front as a whole.

The establishment of Austria-Hungary has broken the Murman coast into two motives. The first is the difficulty in the military problem made by the position of the Murman coast in the German military system. With the Fins were long on terms of sympathy, but the latter will later be renewed, but it is impossible we should remain indifferent to the fate of the Finns, and give ourselves to the support of Germany's designs. Finland is the bridge between the Murman coast and the bridge independent of Scandinavia, and her dependence on Germany is as strong as ours, as far as the man right to occupy the shores of the Baltic Sea with us. One side is enough. Another side is under German influence, from the Baltic to the Adriatic, and from the Adriatic to the British fleet.

The first motive, the naval motive, is not it obvious that with Finland under German control, the Murman coast will be exposed, especially in the same position as Belgium in any future war, and would be exposed to the same fate as German aggression as Belgium did?

The second motive of our expedition in the north is to get into contact with reviving Russian naval power, and the Murman coast is of little use for that purpose, for the advance southward would be exposed to attacks from this side of Finland; hence, the occupation of Archangel, which is a nucleus of the Russian national forces and the base of the Russian fleet in the north. The Murman coast is believed to be promising as far as Archangel, Vologda and Murmansk are concerned.

The other great centre of Russian nationalism is southern Russia, in which the Don Province, the Sea of Azov, which is under Cossack rule and is probably more settled than any part of Russia, and the Donets, which is the Don Province, the headquarters of the Russian nation, which is a nucleus of the Russian forces in the north are the

Each English Family to Have Eight Ration Books

More Than Two Billion Forms Printed Since Ministry of Food Began Its Work

Since the ministry of food began its work two billion forms have been printed since March 1, 1915. Only one million copies have been issued, and the number one only has had to be recalled, the loss being less than \$250.

Of the new national ration books, which will be issued about 640,000,000 copies will be issued. This number includes the individual books given to agricultural labourers, mining workers and those engaged on heavy work. Over 1,000,000 persons will be employed in the manufacture.

The new book is a great improvement on the present card system. It contains coupons for all the national foods—sugar, meat, bacon, butter and flour. The controller hopes to allow two ounces per cent.

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A University at Jerusalem Will Be Endowed

\$25,000 Donated Toward Endowment of New Institution

It is at once characteristic of their confidence in the future of a new Jewish nation in Palestine, that they are making arrangements for the establishment of a university in Jerusalem. They have the support of the German government, which all the nations of the civilized world have accepted, that every opportunity should be given to the Jews to realize the dream of a restored national life, with which most ardent spirits have ever been imbued.

And, if when that assurance was given, there were some who denied the need for such a move, ready to make to the effort and sacrifice necessary to found a university, more spirituous than that doubt is now denied by the supporters which are accustomed to spend time in the study of the Hebrew language before the university is founded.

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CANADA MAY BE THE INTERPRETER FOR AMERICA AND GREAT BRITAIN

WAR HAS BROUGHT HER MANY RESPONSIBILITIES
The Great and Wonderful Part Which She Can Play in the Consolidation Of the English Speaking Peoples Is Not Only Her Opportunity But Her Privilege

Largest Gold Refinery

In the World at Ottawa

Gold Coin and Bullion to Value of \$1,300,000,000 Held in Trust

Since the outbreak of war, gold coin and gold bullion to the value of \$1,300,000,000 has been held in trust by the department of finance as trustee for the imperial government. The gold coins were received by the department of finance, and gold bullion by the mint, and the mint has been given the responsibility of safe-keeping.

Three times daily, the mint has been receiving gold bullion to be melted down and cast into gold coins. The mint has also been receiving gold coins to be melted down and cast into gold bullion.

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Campbell Stuart, a member of the Canadian government, has performed a great service to the Canadian government. Sir Campbell Stuart is one of the new knights of the realm and one of the new knighthoods. He is a knight of the Order of the Garter, and one of the new knighthoods.

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Man, a Million Years Ago

Vision of Future Has Been Changed
by Aged Student

There is living today, digging in his English garden, at the great age of 81, Sir Arthur M. Hamilton, who knew in 1865 what a great scientist accepted until 1888. He listed his "visions of the future millions of years" says Mr. Arthur M. Hamilton of "My Magazine." He was a grocer by trade, a general contractor, a builder, a shipping grocer, and gathering him - 10,000 of which he has sold. His first home was born and has always lived in a hollow of the Kentish hills, and there he has spent his life with great joy of it. He has never been out of England, but once, and that was to Paris, where he sold his Dover to see the cliffs of Calais. But he is a great explorer and discoverer - "a man of the world." He has his own door, a historian whose every word is an imperishable stone," For, Bergman, the author of "The Other Stone" older than the Pales (Huey New Stone) and Paleolithic were never known before the Hines (New Stone) and Paleolithic (Old Stone) now in the world.

At 81, old! By his own investigation through a long life he peruses and gives to the first two periods concerning the earth's first conception and the earth before the first conception of the earth before the first con-

"To the ordinary eye the first finds himself in a world of wonder, which indeed looks like stones that have simply worn themselves into very round shapes, but to the practical man sees a difference with the world of meaning. Mr. Harrison, whenever he has a chance, likes to tell us about these differences. He has had to reject thousands of stones because they did not fit his theory. Now he has pored over stones for hours and thought them out; and he has accomplished the task of training laborers to understand the subtle differences between two kinds of stones."

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No Old Maids There

This Town Has No Unmarried Women—Five Years

Vandergrift in Westmoreland Co., Pennsylvania, is a hustling village, boasting many restaurants, and the consequence of nursing of the Pennsylvania-Delaware division of the Red Cross says Vandergrift is the "real deserted village" since its report is official, but not so. At present, the Red Cross says the Red Cross asked Vandergrift to supply its quota of young women more than twice as many as the others who had accepted the Red Cross course in elementary hygiene and care of the ill. The town has 1,000 inhabitants, made answer were there were no young girls in the town.

The Red Cross was asked if the following reply was received to a letter asking for further information: "We have no unmarried women of twenty-five in this town. It is a town in which we have no old maids, as the term is used. Our girls are all in the last term or just graduated. They sold out to us and married about this age. This is a young town with all very young people. We have no old maids to speak of. We have an old person among us. Hardly one of these girls has had a brother or sister sold out to us. Dovers to see the cliffs of Calais. But he is a great explorer and discoverer - "a man of the world." He has his own door, a historian whose every word is an imperishable stone," For,

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CONSOLIDATION.

The vote taken on Monday as to whether the school districts comprising Bow Island and Courtland Hill should adopt consolidation was not a large one, and would incline one to imagine that the interest of the rate-payers was not very keen.

The vote taken in the I.O.O.F. hall resulted in 32 votes for and four against consolidation. Courtland Hill recorded an even break of 64, but the casting vote of the chairman broke the deadlock and converted the vote into a negative. We understand, however, that the aggregate vote counts, and if this is so then the consolidation of this district only awaits the pleasure of the Minister to become an accomplished fact.

There is undoubtedly much opposition to the consolidation of this school district, both in town and in the 20-mile circuit of Courtland Hill. The record would not indicate this. Whether the committee having the matter in hand will justify in their judgment the consolidation under the circumstances is largely a matter for themselves to decide.

It is only reasonable to assume, however, that if opposition exists now it certainly will not be lessened with an inevitable increase in taxation, and it would appear far better to try and make an amicable arrangement, now than to do so after considerable expenditure of the ratepayers' money.

A very appetizing lunch was served to scores of odd persons at the home of Mrs. C. Hoaglin during the noon hour of Thursday last. The occasion was thoroughly enjoyed and additional satisfaction was expressed when it was made known that the sum of \$24 was available for the funds of the Ladies' Aid of the United Church.

The sincere gratitude of the Aid is expressed to Mrs. C. Hoaglin and Mrs. F. W. Taylor, whose generosity and hospitality made the event such a success.

Lieutenant Whitney, R.A.F., received a wire for overseas last week, but on going to Lethbridge grangaged for further leave as the wire was received too late to report on time.

The regular service will be held in St. Andrew's (United) Church next Sunday evening at eight o'clock. The pastor, Rev. V. M. Gilbert, will preach on the subject "A personal question." The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at the close of the regular service.

A special Rally Day Service of the Foothills Sunday school will be held on the 29th of September. A good program, consisting of recitations and solos from the scholars, will be rendered. Everybody is cordially invited. The collection will be in aid of the General Sunday School Fund of the Dominion of Canada. Be sure of the day and the hour—Sunday, September 29th, at twelve o'clock.

The Lancaster Red Cross Society is holding a pantry sale and dance on Friday, September 20th, in the Lancaster school. A bluebird quilt will be raffled off at the same time. This affair will close the regular year of this branch.

The Women's Institute will hold their next meeting on Saturday, September 21st. A cordial invitation is extended to the members of the Bow Island U.E.W.A. to attend.

Mass will be celebrated on Sunday next, September 15th, at St. Michael's at nine o'clock.

Mrs. McNabb of Medicine Hat has been the guest of Mrs. A. F. Werts the past few days.

A regular meeting of the A. F. and A. M. will be held on Tuesday, September 17th, at which all brethren are especially requested to be present.

Mr. Page of Oregon, formerly of this district, is paying a visit here this week and is the guest of J. Fink at Pleasant View. Mr. Page has five quarters of land in the district.

G. J. Anderson of Hillsboro, N.D., returned home on Wednesday after spending a week here in connection with his farm. In Dakota, he says, they have a crop that is yielding 30 to 35 bushels, and in some instances 40 bushels per acre. This is the best crop they have had for 30 years.

Lots for sale.—Anyone wishing to buy town lots south of the track see E. MacWilliams, Stacey Lumber Co., Bow Island.

Divine service will be held at All Saints' Church on Sunday evening next at 7:30 p.m.

A very enjoyable evening was spent at the home of Mrs. Schonert on Monday, September 2nd, when a large number of the ladies of the United Church met there to bid adieu to Mrs. MacWilliams previous to her departure for Medicine Hat. Music and refreshments, interspersed by several interesting little addresses by those present, furnished a pleasant time for all.

Birth—On August 29th, to Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Howard, of Big Horn, Mont., a son.

The members of the Bow Island, U.P.A., to the number of about fifteen, assembled at the rest room on Saturday evening last to receive the report of Mr. F. W. Taylor on the hay problem. Rev. H. A. Cook occupied the chair in the absence of the president, F. J. Henderson. Mr. Taylor reported that he had contracted with a man to supply 500 tons of hay to cost \$15.10 per ton laid down at Bow Island. The hay would be stacked upon the ground and a man

would have to be sent north of Edmonton to measure it previous to it being shipped. The meeting decided it could not do better than request Mr. Taylor to return and do the measuring. The meeting also decided to insert an advertisement in the Bow Island Review giving the date and place of meeting of the U.P.A., and also to publish notice of subject for discussion at the next meeting, which will be held in two weeks' time.

Thanksgiving Day this year has been fixed by the government for Monday, October 14. In addition Monday the government has confirmed to the practice adopted in recent years. Formerly Thanksgiving Day usually fell on a Thursday in late October or November, but the Commercial Travellers' Association and other bodies agitated for a Monday holiday to increase the opportunity for family reunions during the season of thanksgiving.

This year there has been agitation to have the holiday fixed for a Thursday, and it has also been suggested that the Canadian holiday should conform to that of the United States, which occurs in November.

The ladies of the Altar Society of St. Michael's met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Ley on Thursday afternoon, September 5th, and enjoyed a turkey luncheon. Those present included Madeline Halpin, Noelle Cullen, Halloran Smith, Doran, M. and F. Brophy, Schonert, Flammie Fortune, A. and W. Goodey, Miss Taylor and Miss Louise Ancion, also Mr. Albert Goodey, Mr. Johnson, Steve Halpin and ten children. All spent a very cordial afternoon, and in departing expressed the cordial wish

that it may be Mrs. Ley's turn to entertain again soon. An invitation was given by Mrs. August Flammie to meet at her new home on Thursday, September 19th.

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J. M. Bratton left on Friday last for Wyoming to look after some copper mining interests he has there.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Loundry, Miss Allen and Mr. A. E. Barnes of Moncton most suited into Bow Island on Saturday last.

E. C. Lindt's elevator was burnt to the ground here on Tuesday morning. The fire started somewhere about three a.m. and within a very short time nothing remained but a heap of smoldering ashes.

Elite Theatre, Bow Island

A Good War Picture

Showing HAUL OF PRISONERS by HAIG'S MEN. Also BRITISH BIG GUNS IN ACTION and other OFFICIAL WAR NEWS will show at Bow Island on SATURDAY, this week, with the serial, "HOUSE OF HATE". There are also two good comedies.

"DEAD SHOT BAKER," a Vitagraph Special, all pep, will play Bow Island on THURSDAY, SEPT. 19th.

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